

RANKINGS OF PRINCIPAL CROPS AND LIVESTOCK, 2009

	Acres Harvested ^{1/}		Rank Within State Based on Value of Production		Cash Receipts ^{2/}		Rank With Other States Based on Production ^{1/}		Virginia Production as Percent of
							Number of Producing States	Virginia	US Total
	-acres-	-rank-	-thou dollars-	-rank-	-thou dollars-	-rank-	-number-	-rank-	-percent-
Crops									
Soybeans	570,000	2	207,936	2	184,048	1	31	19	0.63
Corn, Grain	330,000	3	162,113	3	118,097	2	41	25	0.33
Tobacco	20,150	7	81,150	4	80,962	3	10	4	5.66
Wheat, Winter	210,000	4	49,329	6	69,647	4	42	23	.0.80
Tomatoes, Fresh Market	4,800	12	63,216	5	63,216	5	16	4	4.45
Hay	1,180,000	1	347,778	1	54,706	6	49	22	1.81
Cotton, Lint and Seed	63,000	5	33,696	7	34,354	7	17	14	1.17
Apples	11,800	9	33,078	8	29,597	8	29	6	2.52
Potatoes, Summer	5,900	10	22,656	9	23,632	9	10	6	9.89
Grapes	2,900	14	12,768	10	12,768	10	13	7	0.11
Peanuts	12,000	8	11,322	11	11,322	11	10	8	1.20
Barley	43,000	6	7,478	12	10,126	12	22	11	1.40
Peaches, Freestone	1,000	18	6,263	13	6,263	13	23	14	0.86
Snap Beans, Fresh Market	5,200	11	4,425	14	4,425	14	11	7	3.64
Sweet Corn, Fresh Market	2,900	14	2,550	15	2,550	15	26	21	0.36
Watermelon	1,100	17	1,485	16	1,485	16	16	16	0.41
Cucumbers, Fresh Market	1,300	16	1,430	18	1,430	17	11	10	0.74
Cabbage, Fresh Market	500	19	910	14	910	18	14	14	0.31
Oats	4,000	13	518	19	348	19	32	31	0.23
Horticulture									
Greenhouse/Nursery					261,400	NA	NA	NA	NA
Livestock and Products ^{3/}									
Broilers ^{4/}					550,228	1	19	12	2.82
Cattle and Calves					287,517	2	50	25	1.13
Milk					264,384	3	50	23	0.92
Turkeys ^{5/}					215,424	4	12	NA	6.28
Eggs ^{4/}					68,723	5	50	28	0.82
Aquaculture					53,631	7	NA	NA	NA
Hogs					49,701	6	50	21	0.36
Sheep and Lambs					4,086	8	33	19	1.34
Honey					768	9	41	39	0.16
Wool					102	10	32	27	0.55
Livestock Inventory					Number of Head		Rank with Other States Based on Inventory		
All Cattle and Calves, January 1, 2010					1,550,000	50	20		1.65
Milk Cows, January 1, 2010					95,000	50	22		1.05
Hogs and Pigs, December 1, 2009					365,000	50	18		0.56
Sheep and Lambs, January 1, 2010					89,000	50	17		1.58
All Chickens (Excludes Commercial Broilers) December 1, 2009					5,016,000	50	23		1.12

1/ 2009 Crop Year. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Calendar year basis except as noted for broilers, turkeys, and eggs. Rankings based on pounds produced with the exception of eggs which is in number. 4/ Year begins December 1, 2008 and ends November 30, 2009. 5/ Year begins September 1, 2008 and ends August 31, 2009.